

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of :  
Arpi MATOSSIAN-ROGERS :  
Serial No. NEW : **Attn: APPLICATION BRANCH**  
Filed October 1, 2003 : Attorney Docket No. 2003\_1279

LIGANDS, INCLUDING ANTIBODIES, SHOWING  
REACTIVITY AGAINST ENDOCRINE CELLS  
(Rule 1.53(b) Divisional of Serial No. 09/463,158,  
Filed January 20, 2000)

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**Prior to calculating the filing fee**, please amend the above-identified application as follows: